The Democrat.

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CAPE GIRARDEAU, : MISSOURI

The cabinet, at its meetings, on the 6th, gave special consideration to the administration of affairs in Cuba.

The Oregon legislature convened at Salem on the 9th. Both houses were organized at the special session in October last, and it is probable that organization will be continued.

Miss Sophie Dallas, daughter of George M. Dallas, who was vice-president of the United States under President Polk, died in Philadelphia, on the 5th, in her seventy-sixth year.

B. F. Fifield, in an interview, on the 8th, said that he had not accepted the appointment as senator, and would not give his answer to Gov. Smith's offer until he had fully considered it.

In well-informed quarters in Paris
It is regarded as probable that France
and Great Britain will reach an agreement on the Newfoundland shore question which will be satisfactory to Great
Britain.

Second Session.)

In the senate, on the Lith, little business
of interest was transacted. A resolution, offered by Mr. Hoar (Mass.), directing
the committee on foreign relations to report to the senate whether the treaty of
Paris makes any provision for the claims
of citizens of the United States against
Spain, which were in existence before the
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A report comes from Eagle City, Alaska, that there is no truth in the story that the miners had lynched Jack Jolly, Jolly, the report says,

pean restrictions on our products.

Madame Teresa Carreno, the famous pianist, arrived at New York on the Trave, from Bremen, on the 6th. She will make her first appearance this nation of the chancellorship, has been season in Boston as soloist with the Printed. Boston symphony, with which organization she will make a week's tour inciuding the principal eastern cities.

On the 9th Gov, Brady of Alaska was before the house committee on the re- against the granting of France's devision of laws in reference to the liquor mand for the extension of territory restrictions feature of the new code of at Shanghai, and the Pekin govern laws for Alaska. He strongly approves ment has decided to refuse to yield the course of the committee in substi- to France. tuting high license for prohibition, and says the prohibition law can not be en-

According to the statements of people who have arrived at Hong Kong from the Island of Balabae, south of the Island of Palawan, there is no truth in the report that the Spaniards there had been massacred by the Fili-there be sent by rail to Savannah with pinos. They say the story is an invention of priests to prejudice the

Frederick Silberg, one of the most famous Knights of Pythias in the at Vicksburg, Miss., was the most recountry, died at his home in Cleve- markable in the history of the Vicksland, C., on the 8th. Silberg was six burg weather bureau. It caused sefeet five inches tall and weighed 310 rious damage and delayed trains on pounds. He was one of the axmen known as "The Big Five," and he had bama & Vicksburg road between Bolfor years led the parade at the national encampment.

On the ninety-first ballot the deadlock in the Delaware house of representatives was broken. Theodore F. Clark, regular republican, was elected speaker, receiving 18 votes to 13 for Wm. Sharp, the candidate of the Addicks republicans. Ten of the 12 democratic members of the house voted for Clark, and thus secured his elec-

Alexander Bradford Upshaw died, on the 8th, at his home in New York city, aged 48 years. He was a native of Holly Springs, Mass.; had been connected with the Nashville American; was appointed commissioner of Indian affairs in 1889 by Secretary Lamar, and was afterward Calvin S. Brice's political and business manager in superintendent, engineer and eight favor.

The correspondence, published officially, on the 6th, in connection with the peace treaty contains much of in- Senator Hoar's resolution calling upon terest from Consul Williams, who was the president to submit to that body stationed at Manila, prior to the war. the instructions given by him to the He was in constant communication Paris peace commissioners. with Aguinaido for some time after the battle of Manila bay, and his letters throw much light upon the relations with the Philippine chieftain.

The Divide Cattle-Grewers' Protective association, with headquarters at Eastonville, Col., has been organized. Keil was a leading citizen and former The object of the association is to protect stock from increasing depredations of gray wolves and cayotes, by offering suitable bounties for scalps. The pests have destroyed considerable stock this winter, in spite of Russian bloodhounds, trappers and

Gracie File, seven years old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch File, of Kansas City, Kas., has won her suit Island, N. J., last March, was electroagainst that city. On June 25, 1895, cuted at Sing Sing prison, on the 9th, while playing in the street in front of Gov. Roosevelt having refused to in- formerly city marshal of Eagle City, her home, the child took hold of a live terfere in his behalf. electric light wire, which was dangling | Mrs. Florence Ritchie, a member of from a pole in the street, and received a theatrical company, playing at the lowa, refused to pay the 50-cent war a shock that almost killed her, and as Broadway theater, Denver, Col., faint-revenue tax on his official bond. He result of which so is now a ed while taking a bath at the Albert holds that the federal government has cripple. The court allowed her \$2,600. | hotel and was drowned.

Senator Caffery, on the 5th addressed the senate in support of bona-JANUARY-1899. tor Vest's anti-expansion resolution. He made a constitutional argument.

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CURRENT TOPICS.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

(Second Session.)

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

The navy department has received

another request from Admiral Dewey

for light-draught gunboats. They will

Minister Conger again profested

England has replied to the ezar cor-

dially indorsing the proposed peace

conference, and asking under what

heads the discussion is to be con-

The rainfull of 7.20 inches in the

36 hours ending at 8 a, m, of the 6th.

ton and Baker creek, 22 miles east of

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Clara, Cuba.

denth of 6 feet.

he reinserted by the senate.

Fifield, of this city,

sons were injured, some fatally.

At Pemberville, O., by an explosion

of gasoline, the hardware store of

Kiel & Son was badly wrecked, and

Augustus Keil, the junior partner, so

badly injured that he died in an hour.

His right arm was blown off, and the

Janesville, Wis., lays claim to a man

who has not partaken of a bite of

nourishment for 35 days. He is A. D.

Hendrickson, for 16 years superintend-

ent of the state industrial school, and

he is suffering as the result of a stroke

Pailer Decker, colored, who mur-

dered his wife near Tottenville, Staten

right side of his face torn off. Mr.

mayor of the village.

of paralysis.

be seat him as soon as possible,

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By a head-end collision between two passenger trains on the Lehigh Valley milrond at West Dunellen, N. J., on the 5th, 13 persons were killed and 9 10 11 12 13 14 1 over 25 were injured. A freight wreck which had occurred some time before, on the east-bound tracked forced eastbound trains to make the distance between switches, six miles, on the westbound track. A train dispatcher's blunder did the rest.

The safe containing \$11,500, which Chad Stowell, iamate of the Hatchiason (Kas.) reformatory, in a confession made on the 7th, said be helped take in the Missouri Pacific train rebbery at Leeds, in September, and buried near Gallatin, was not found by Chief Strauss and Sheriff Cook of Topeka, after diligent search.

The Twelftle regular infantry-the beroes of El Caney will soon leave Jefferson Barracks, Mo., for the Philippines.

Spain, which were in existence before the present war, and the status of such caims after the ratification of the travity, was adopted.... In the house quite a number of bills of minor importance, reported from the judiciary committee, were passed. The remainder of the day was occupied in continuing the consideration of the bill to codify the laws of Alaska.

States will never attempt to govern the people of any country without their consent. It was a forceful effort and commanded the undivided attention of chamber and galleries from beginning to end, and was frequently applanded. City, and was well liked.

The navy department has decided to allow the naval station at Guam a full brass band, and the equipment bureau has been authorized to procure the instruments and ship them on the Yomenite when she starts for the island.

It was announced, on the Sth, that George A. Armour, of the class of '77, bad given stranger, of the stranger, of the class of '77, bad given stranger, of the class of '77, bad given stranger, of the class of '77, bad given stranger, of the class of '77, bad given stranger, of the stranger, of the stranger, of the stranger, of the class of the stranger, of the class of the stranger, of the class of '77, bad given stranger, of the class of '77, bad given stranger, of the stranger, of

George A. Armour, of the class of '77, had given \$10,000 to Princeton university to found a classical library. For the next three years he will give \$2,700 annually for the further support of the department. Mr. Armour went to Princeton from Chicago in 1894.

Secretary Wilson of the agriculturat department says there is no doubt that the discussion of the allegations made to the quality of the beef furnished to the army will give a setlack to the negotiations that have been making for years for removal of European restrictions on our products.

The United States transport Mississippi, which saided from Santiago on the evening of January 5, arrived at New York on the 10th, Oa board the conclusion of Mr. Hour's speech, Sentange, and Lieut, Hanna, nide de camp: Dr. Castillo, a brother of the States fed the power to acquire and government of the production of the legislative, executive and judicial aill for the support of the civil service commission, stricken out in committee of the whole, was restored. The body for the bill for the confidention of the laws of Alacka.

PERSONAL AND CENTER.

tically the unanimous voice of the the year 1898, \$5,889,517,21; disburse-The third part of Prince Bismarck's memoirs, dealing fully with his resig-

On the 10th the senate committee on havel affairs agreed to report favorably the bill for the promotion of naval officers who participated in the war with Spain over others who are their seniors. The list includes Admirals Sampson and Schley, and a long list of other officers.

The anti-Drevfusites in Paris are dong everything possible to discredit the court of cassation, as it is generaly accented in the best-informed cirdes that the court is preparing to render judgment in favor of Drevfus, John Henry Cabot Lodge was re-

dected United States senator by the Massachusetts legislature in joint convention assembled on the 10th. The The secretary of war has directed that the camp at Knoxville, Tenn., be choice was made by acclamation.

The Canadian Pacific railway carubroken up and that the Thirty-first ings for the week ending January 7 Michigan and all other troops now were \$142,000; same period last year, \$401,000; increase, \$41,000. a view to their transportation to Santa

The French chamber of deputies reopened, on the 10th, and the Palias Bourbon, where the chamber of deputies sits, was crowded.

CURRENT NEWS NOTES.

The president is preparing to apthe railways. The track of the Alapoint commissioners to the St. Peters-

burg peace conference. The third part of Prine Bismarck's Vicksburg, was under water to the memoirs, dealing fully with his resignation of the chancellorship, has been Anti-civil service people scored a vic-

tory in the house when they struck Considerable excitement has been out the appropriation for the civil ser- ereated by the finding of gold in the vice. The appropriation, however, will western portion of Dearborn county, Indiana.

Ex-confederates in Florida have sec-The steamer New England arrived onded the resolutions of the Arkansas at Vancouver, B. C., with 180,000 post by adopting similar ones against pounds of halibut, caught off Queen the granting of pensions to ex-confed. Charlotte island. It is a record catch.

Ex-confederates of Florida have sec-A special from Montpelier, Vt., savs: onded the resolutions of the Arkansas Gov. Smith has tendered the place in post by adopting similar ones against the United States senate left vacant by the granting of pensoins to ex-confedthe death of Senator Morrill to B. F. lerates. It is said that the negotiations be-

tween England and France regarding A big boiler being tested in Hewthe Newfoundland shore are nearing a itt's ship-puilding yards at Barking, necessful consummation in England's England, burst, on the 6th, and the England has replied to the ezar cor men were killed. About forty per-

dially indorsing the proposed peace conference, and asking under what On the 6th anti-expansionists were heads the discussion is to be consuccessful in the senate in passing

A special from Montpelier, Vt., says: Gov. Smith has tendered the place in the United States senate left vacant by the death of Senator Morrill to B. F. Fiffeld, of this city.

Mrs. Florence Ritchie, a member of theatrical company, playing at the Broadway theater, Denver, Col., fainted while taking a bath at the Albert hotel, and was drowned.

Anti-civil service people scored a victory in the house when they struck out the appropriation for the civil service. The appropriation, however, will be reinserted by the senate.

The town of Pullman-church, hall, market house, library and 2,000 brick residences-will be sold to the highest hidder. The place will cease to be a town, and will be added to Chicago. A report comes from Eagle City, Alaska, that there is no truth in the story that the miners had lynched

and well liked. Milton Remley, attorney-general for no right to tax a state officer, and purposes to make a test case.

Jack Jolly. Jolly, the report says, was

MISSCURI STATE NEWS.

St. Clair County Judges Released. Thomas Nevitt and Thomas Gill, judges of the St. Clair county court, have been released from the couty jail at Kansas City, on the order of Judge Philips, of the United States circuit court. They were committed June 11, 1897, for contempt of Judge Philips in refusing to vote for a hond issue, in the sum of \$100,000, the proceeds to be used in the payment of the bonds issued 25 years ago in aid of the Tebo & Neosho railroad which was never built, notwithstanding the fact that the bonds were issued and disposed of. They were released because of the expiration of their terms of office. Judge Lyon, who was committed to jail at the same time Judge Nevitt and Gill were, was released shortly after on his expression of willingness to vote for the bond issue, but as a majority of the judges remained in jail, the bonds were not voted. Judge Nevitt had served a term in the Kansas City jail for the same offense once

Struck a Boulder and Was Wrecked. Omaha express train No. 10, eastbound, on the Missouri Pacific, was wrecked at Coon creek, a mile and a half west of Jefferson City, the other morning. The train was ronaing at full speed, when a big bounder rolled down from the high bluff above the track directly in front of the engine.

The engine went down a 20-foot embankment rolling over and over Engineer Charles Clawson and Fireman William Zoll were killed. The cars all left the rails except the last sleeper. They swung in toward the biuff instead of going over the embankment, and it was due to this fact that there was no loss of life among the passengers. The impact of the cars against the rock wall of the bluff shattered them, and the passengers were severe-

Treasurer Pitt's Report.

State Treasurer Pitts has filed with very Gen. Wood, military governor of Gov. Stephens his monthly report for December, 1898; also his annual report for the year 1898. The December report shows the following: Palance on hand November 30, 8631,688,25; reecipts during the mouth, \$163,756,34; disbursements, \$772,335,11; balance on hand December 31,8897,109,48,

The annual report shows the following: Balance on hand December years after the fact. This was pract 31, 1897, 8649,000,19; receipts during delegates to the Louisiana purchase ments during 1898, 85,641,413,92; balconvention held in that ctiv, beginning | ance on band December 31,1898, \$897,-109,49,

Pardoned by Gov. Stephens.

Gov. Stephens has pardoned Tina Jackson, who was convicted at the June term of the criminal court of Buchanaa county of homicide and sentenced to nine months in the county iail. The petitioners for her release set out that she stabbed her husband in the arm with a small penknife while reseating ill-treatment at his hands; that the wound touched a small artery, and that he died from lack of proper attention. Congressman C. F. Cochrane, who was one of the petitioners, urged that she should never have been convicted, and that she was more than sufficiently punished.

A Plucky Woman.

visited the residence of Henry Fenner in Carthage. He was masked and could not be identified, but in his search for booty he awakened Mrs. Fenner, who watched him as he secured her husband's purse containing \$30. As he departed she secured her husband's revolver, and pursuing the thief called upon him to drop his booty. Hearing the revolver click and seeing her determined look he dropped the money and jumped through a window, carrying the sash with him. Mrs. Fenner says she could identify

Suddenly Lost His Reason.

W. M. Arnold, a young man of Bunceton, Cooper county, suddenly lost his reason at Sedalia, so on item from that city says, and developed a manie for taking smap shats of people with a kodak. He was taken home by his father, but it is believed he will have to be committed to the asylum.

Accidentally Shot Himself. Robert Irons, for many years a lead-

ing hasiness man of Nevada, shot himself accidentally with a 38-caliber revolver. The ball entered his head just over the right eye, and the physicians were doubtful of his recovery,

Used a Pocketknife.

Near Maryville, Frank Hawkins attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a pocketknife. Hawkins has been partially deranged mentally for some time. His wounds will prove fatal.

A Smail Embezzler.

Fred Elliott, of Graham, is in the Nodaway county jail, charged with having embezzled 85 from his employer, James Adkins, in whose store Graham was employed.

Wheat and Oats Crop Ensatisfactory. The state grain inspector in his annual report states that the quantity and quality of the wheat and outs erop in this state was unsatisfactory.

An Old Resident of Saline. Mrs. Caroline V. McKown, one of the

oldest residents of Saline county, died at her home in Marshall, recently, of pneumonia, at the age of 76 years.

Slaughterhouse Burned. The slaughterhouse of Fred Stohr, including the cooling machinery. located west of Hannibal, was burned.

Loss, \$10,000; insurance, \$7,600. Train Robbery in Wright County. A Kansas City. Fort Scott & Memphis express train was held up by robbers at Macomb, Wright county, and

the through express safe looted.

THE MISSOURI LEGISLATURE.

Proceedings of the Fortieth General Assembly.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 5.—The For-tieth general assembly of Missouri met vesteriay. Senate—The proceedings of the senate were brief and formal, Lieut.-Gov. Bolte Senate—The proceedings of the senate were brief and formal. Lieut.-Gov. Bolto presided. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. F. Hendy. The following temporary officers were announced: Chaplain, Rev. J. F. Hendy, of Jefferson City. Secretary, R. P. Thompson, of Barry. Assistant secretary, T. H. Wagoner, of Jefferson. Minute clerk, A. J. Connelly, of Johnson. Official reporter, John E. Mohan, St. Louis. Journal clerks, J. G. Leslie and C. T. Murphy, of Cole. Pages, Carroll McHenry and Heary Schmidt, of Cole. The new senators were sworn in by Judge Gantt, of the supreme court. Leaves of absence were granted Senators Drabelle and Martin, of St. Louis, and Senator Hobenchield, of Phelps, because of filmess. A resolution, presented by Senator Ma-

A resolution, presented by Senator Major, of Pike, was adopted, providing that the rules of the Thirty-minth general assembly should govern the deliberations of the Fortieth, except in so far as they relate to the formation of committees.

House—The galleries were crowded with spectators, including many ladies in fashionable attire, when Secretary of State Lesuer called the house of the Fortieth general assembly to order promptly at the noon hour. As the members slowly assembled many familiar faces were seen, while many representatives made their debut, apparently fully cognizant of the dignity and importance of their position in public life. The distinguished appearance of Judge James B. Gantt, of the state supreme court, to the left of the speaker's stand, as he administered the oath of office to the members, could not escape notice as the representatives lincid up in rows of 2e to pledge their honor for the faithful discharge of their duties, swearing that they would accept no money for their services other than allowed by law. The administering and taking of the oath of office was the only impressive incident of the opening proceedings, excepting possibly the earnest prayer of Rev. William Prottsman, of the local M. E. church.

ing of the oath of once was the year, as pressive incident of the opening proceedings, excepting possibly the earnest prayer of Rev. William Prottsman, of the local M. E. church.

THE CAUCUSES.

Democratic House—The democratic house cancus chose William J. Ward, of Steddard county, for speaker, Mr. Ward receiving 65 out of 81 votes (one absentee). Matt Hall, of Saline, being his opponent. Col. Henry A. Newman, of Randolph county, was named for chief clerk. The other officers nominated follow: Assistant chief clerk, Richard S. Slater, of Kansas City. Engrossing clerk, Joseph A. Tall, of Clark. Enrolling clerk, R. W. Morrow, of Maries. Doorkeeper, W. A. Malore, of Linn. Official reporter. C. F. Johnston, of De Kalb. Sergeant-at-arms, F. M. Rass, of Boone. Folder, Miss Ivy Dorsett, of Cass. Chaplain, Rev. Sam H. Pollard, of Moniteau county.

Democratic Senate—Cornelius Roach, of Jasper county, was named for secretary. Assistant secretary, Clark Dooley, of Texas. Sergenat-at-arms, W. L. Reed, of Gentry. Doorkeeper, Charles A. Williams, of Kansas City. Folder, U. A. McBride, of Johnson, Reading clerk, W. W. Waters, of New Madrid. Four pages were named, and the lieutenant-governor was authorized to appoint one. President pro tempore of the senate, W. S. McClintic, of Marion. Official reporter. J. H. Edwards, of Cole. This nomination was Bradley, of Audrain.

Republicans Cancus—The senate republicans decided not to hold a caucus. The house republicans cancus—The senate republicans decided not to hold a caucus. The house republicans cancus—The senate republicans decided not to hold a caucus. The house republicans cancus—The senate republicans decided not to hold a caucus. The house republicans cancus—The senate republicans decided not to hold a caucus. The house republicans cancus—The senate republicans decided not to hold a caucus. The house republicans (Speaker, S. T. Aydelot, of Warren. Speaker pro tem. Dr. G. H. Wilson, St. Louis. Chief clerk, J. M. Pintock, Dade. Assistant chief clerk, J. M. Pintock, Dade. Assista

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—Permanent organization in both branches were ef-fected yesterday. The governor's mess-size was read in both houses during the

fected yesterday. The governor's messsege was read in both houses during the
afternoon session.

Senate Lieut-Gov, Bolte presided, and
Dr. Hendy offered prayer. Committees
were appointed to notify the governor of
the organization of the senate, and to ascertain the amount of clerical force necessary. Then followed the election of the
democratic caucus nomines as officers
of the senate, a proceeding supplemented
by considerable oratory.

The customary number of copies of the
governor's message were ordered printed.
House Temporary Speaker George T.
Lee, of Carter, presided until the democratic caucus nomines, W. J. Wurd, was
elected. The first business transacted
was the appointment of a temporary
committee to allow the members of the
house their mileage, postage and stationary accounts.

At the afternoon session Messrs, Pope
(of Cole), Williams (of Scott) and O'Fallon (of Holt) were appointed a committee
to wait on the governor and inform him of
the organization of the house.

Following this a brief joint session was
held with the senate, Lieut-Gov, Bolte
presided. The returns of the late election
for judges of the supreme court, superintendent of public schools and railroad and
warehouse commissioner were examined
and certified correct.

The governor's message was received
and a feint at reading it at length was
made. The clerk read the preface and
a few paragraphs at the close. Then 16,
oof capies were ordered printed, of which
3,000 are to be in German.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 7.—In the senate yesterday Senator Major introduced

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 7.-In the sen ate yesterday Senator Major introduced a so-called Lexow resolution, providing for an investigation of the municipal af-fairs of St. Louis. The committee will consist of six senators, and according to the resolution, "shull have power to summen and compet the attendance of nesses, and to compet them to answer legal questions; to demand and enforce the production of books and papers; to employ counsel learned in law to assist the committee in making said Investiga-tion, and also such clerical force, clerks sergeant-at-arms and assistants and ofcers to serve process, writs, subpoenas and messengers and stenographers as may be necessary to the speedy and ef-nicient discharge of its duty."

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The most important husiness transacted by the house was the consideration of the proposed revision of the statutes. The resolution introduced by Mr. Bohart, of Clinton, providing for the appointment of a committee of 15 to consider a plan of revision, was adopted, and the following committee, consisting of members selected from each congressional district, was appointed by the speaker:

First district, Web M. Bubey, of Macon; second, Dr. A. C. Pettijohn, of Linn; third, W. D. Hamilton, of Davies; fourth, Samuel O'Fallon, of Holt; fifth, John M. Cleary, of Jackson; sixth, G. B. Ellis, of Bates; seventh, Matt. W. Halt, of Saline; eighth, W. S. Pope, of Cole; ninth, A. H. Harrison, of Crawford; tenth, C. A. Smith, of St. Louis; twelfth, P. T. Barrett, of St. Louis; twelfth, P. T. Barrett, of St. Louis; twiffen, P. H. Huck, of Ste. Genevieve; fourteenth, J. G. McClarren, of Ripley; fifteenth, W. J. Butledge, of Lawrence.

Both houses adjourned till the afternoon of the 5th.

Both houses adjourned till the after-noon of the 9th. JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 19.—A number of bills were introduced in the senate yesterday. Senator Morton, to call a constitutional convention; Senator Hohenschild, to provide a state examiner for certain county officials; Senator Dunn, to erect an asylum for the insane in southwest Missouri. There was a stormy debate in the house over a resolution to print 4,00 copies of Prof. John R. Kirk, retiring state superintendent of schools, also his official map, The resolution prevailed. Mr. Lee. of Carter, a bill to exect an asylum for the insane in southeast Missouri. JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 10.-A number of

IN THE DAYS GONE PY.

The earliest nails were of bronze. Coffee was not known to the Greeks or Romans.

Among the Egyptians embalming ceased about 700 A. D. The Portuguese first brought the or-

ange into Europe from the east. Soap has been in use for 3,000 years, and is twice mentioned in the Bible. A few years ago a soap-boiler's shop was discovered in Pompeii. The soap found in the shop had not lost all its efficacy, although it had been buried 1,800 years

JOHN KENNEDY IN LIMBO.

The Oft-Suspected Train Robber, Under Indictment for Murder, Arrested In Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 11 .- John Kennedy, often suspected of train robbery, and twice tried for that offense, and now underindictment for the murder of Emma Schumacher, a grocery woman, whose store he helped to rob, was arrested in this city yesterday, charged with complicity in the robbery of the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis passenger train which was held up near Macomb, Mo., last Tuesday night. Kennedy's arrest occurred two hours after a detective agency had flooded the town with handbills offering \$500 for his arrest. The reward was offered jointly by the railroad company and the Southern Express company, whose through safe was dynamited by the robbers,

Kennedy had just returned to the city, and his lawyers claim he had been to Texas to place a morgage on his farm there. The police say he came to see a woman to whom he was engaged.

Five men are now under arrest at Mansfield, Mo., for complicity in the Macomb robbery, and the officers say three of them have confessed, and their confessions told that Kennedy was the organizer and leader of the robbery.

One of these men, known as Jennings, is believed by the officers to be the old-time train robber Bill Ryan, who was a member of the tamous gang of outlaws led by Jesse and Frank James.

At Mansfield yesterday a roll of bills amounting to \$284 was found sewed in Jennings' clothes.

Another of the robbers, Elmer Byrum, told the Mansfield officers yesterday where they could find \$500 in money and two watches which the robbers hid, and the booty was recovered.

Kennedy was out on bond in the Schumacher murder case. He was twice tried for leading the Aiton robbery at Blue Cut, near here, in 1896, when \$32,000 was secured. The first jury disagreed; and the second returned a verdict of acquittal. At the time stories of perjured witnesses and bribed jurors were common.

Jesse James, Jr., a son of the noted bandit, with whom Bill Ryan made many a raid, will be tried here on next Monday on an indictment charging complicity in the robbery of a Missouri Pacific train at Leeds, Mo., last September. Kennedy and young James. are good friends.

THE LEHIGH WRECK.

Sixteen So Far Known to Have Lost Their Lives in the Wreck at Dunnellen. N. J. - Unidentified Dead.

New York, Jan. 11 .- As far as ean e ascertained the total victims of the Lehigh Valley collision at West Dunnellen, N. J., number 16. Three died iuring the night. They were two unidentified men and woman. It is possible that one of the unidentified dead is R. Weikel, of Shamokin, Pa. This leaves the bodies of three women to be identified. The authorities of Middlesex county, in which county the accident occurred, are making ar attempt to fix the responsibility.

A special train brought a delega tion from Shamokin, who will try to identify the unrecognized dead. While the train was passing over the bridge near Pound Brook it ran over and killed James Pond, a carpenter employed by the Lehigh.

FATAL FREIGHT WRECK.

Two Engineers and One Fireman Killed-Should Have Side-Tracked, But

Council Bluffs, Ia., Jan. 11.-Two freight trains on the Rock Island road collided about five miles east of this city at an early hour yesterday morning, resulting in the instant death of Engineer J. W. Taylor and Fireman John Stone of the extra freight, and Engineer John Caldwell of the regular freight. All the killed resided at Valley Junction. The extra should have side-tracked for the regular, but for some unknown reason failed to do so The wreck delayed the Rock Island's fast train two hours, it being finally compelled to come in over the Milwaukee track from Neola.

DEATH AS A MINISTER.

A Runaway Couple on the Ill-Fated Train Wreeked at Dunellen - Were Going to New York to be Married.

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 11.-Word was received here last night that George Josephs, aged 17 years, and May Schminkey, aged 18, were victims of Monday's railroad wreek at West Dunellen, N. J., and had been identified by relatives. Josephs died in a hospital at West Plainfield, and the girl was killed outright.

The young couple were eloping to-New York to be married, their parents having objected to the alliance, owing to the extreme youth of the couple. Both were of respectable and promiment families.

CONSUMPTION OF GRAIN.

Rye is the grain most in use in Russia, where 580,000,000 bushels are consumed each year, an average of 307

pounds to each inhabitant Denmark uses 320 pounds of rye per eapita a year; Sweden 314; Norway, 224; Italy, 29; Germany 26; France, 53, and the United States, 22 pounds.

In the United States the consumption of wheat is 300,000,000 bushels a year, or 240 pounds per inhabitant. Italy requires 307 pounds a head; Great Britain, 250 pounds; Russia. 93; Germany, 180; Austria-Hungary, 230; Japan, 22.